#### French Hand-Made Bridal Sets: Underwear.

Our exclusive importations into Richmond.

The sisters in the French convents and the French peasantry are noted for their skill in making underwear by hand.

There's always a "best" in everything, however, and the garments in the Miller & Rhoads French Underwear section have no superiors in this country for daintiness of finish and excellence of quality.

Bridal Sets, comprising Gown, Chemise and Drawers, various designs trimmings, \$10.50, \$12.50, \$15 and \$20.

Corset Covers, \$1.75 to \$7. | Chemise, \$1.25 to \$10. |
Gowns, \$2.75 to \$18.50. | Drawers, \$2 to \$8.50.

Chickamauga Some Time

in July.

avancement of the Seventieth, and

for the baby that's just been

weaned. This is an impor-

tant epoch in the little one's

life, and on securing proper

food depends the future

Grape-Nuts soaked in hot milk, then cooled to the right

temperature, with a little sugar, meets the requirements of the newly weaned

child in 99 cases out of a 100 ---perhaps an even hundred! Try a teaspoonful, softened to a paste with a little of the hot milk and then all

mixed together---half a cup-

ful. It's safe because Grape-Nuts is made only of wheat

and barley and baked from 12 to 16 hours. It's a great

food for babies or grownups. "There's a Reason."

growth of the child.

### CENTURY-OLD PLANS FOUND AND ADOPTED

Drawings of Napoleon's Engineer to Be Used by James River Valley League.

## FOR CANAL TO MANCHESTER HEAR GOOD NEWS

Will Open Stream to Navigation Seventieth Will Go Into Camp at for Eighteen Miles Above Richmond.

Plans drawn by the eminent French orgineer. Crozet, over seventy-five ars ago for a canal and water works the south side of the James River

The league took action, sesterday, appointing a committee to bring the possibilities of the plans to the attention of the authorities of the city of Manchester, to which they mean a material development. Manchester will be asked to provide the necessary right of way, with land for the bashn locks, falls, etc., and the league, together with the authorities of the southside city, will endeavor to interest the United States government in the project.

The opening of this first eighteen miles of the James River above Richmond to general navigation will be the first step in the program of the league, which has gone on record as favoring the opening of the river by a system of short canals around the various dams and falls, making the stream navigable from Richmond to Lynchburg. The scheme has been declared entirely practicable by engineers, and the government authorities have evinced more than a little interest in the move.

TO PLEAD AGAIN

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Brother of Thurman Will See Governor Once More To-Day.

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A telegram from Norfolk received here last night says that C. A. Thurman, of Kentucky, a brother of Leo C. Thurman, who is condemned to hang on Friday for murder, was there yesterday in conference with the prisoner and will be here to muke his final appeal to Governor Swanson for executive clemency to-day.

The telegram concludes as follows: "The nature of Thurman's interview with his brother is not known, and he declined to state the character of the evidence he is to submit to the Governor to-morrow. He is hopeful of securing the commutation of Thurman's gentency to life imprisonment. The condemned man is not so hopeful, and shows the effects of the long strain under which he has labored.

#### To the Grand Jury.

United States Commissioner Joseph P. Brady has sent to the grand jury A. Brown (celored), of this city, who was before him on the charge of selling liquor and oleomargetine without a license.

friends.

Dr. Taylor Better. Dr. Philip Taylor, who has been ill at ne Memorial Hospital for some time, is now such improved and is able to see his

# MUST TRANSFER ROMANCE ENDS A TO ALL THE LINES ON DEATH BED

quiring Street Car Companies to Change System.

to Sudden Illness.

Question of Meter Contracts Sent Back to Committee-One Committee Abolished.

#### What Council Did

Adopted ordinance providing for iversal street car transfers. Cut water rate for poor people. Abolished Committee on Police,

Referred award of meter contracts Water Committee.

Adopted drunkard probation ordi-

Under a suspension of rules, and with ut one dissenting vote, the Common louncil last night adopted an ordi-ance by which the Virginia Passenger and Power Company is required to in-ugurate a universal system of trans-ers. In the last Council the corpo-ation influence defeated a similar recognize

ompanies, the Virginia Passenger and ower Company, the Richmond Pas-enger and Power Company and the

Popular Society Girl Used As-Considerable Uneasiness Still sumed Name First-Married Again by Uncle Here.

Days, Mrs. Durrence Succumbs

Twice married within the past few days, the first time under an assumed name at Danville. to which place she had eloped, and the second time under her own name and at the hedside of large of a resumption of trade conditions in the South." said Mr. George W. Stevens, president of the Chesaher of the last illness, in the home of her uncle, the Rev. Dr. G. B. Strickier, professor at the Union Theological Seminary, Mrs. M. F. Durrence, formerly Miss Bessie Poague, of Lexington, died at 12:40 o'clock this morning at the Retreat for the Sick.

Her brother and her husband were at her bedside, grief-stricken by the sudden and unhappy ending of the brief romance. Death was not feared more than we are. Their normal volumes the sudden and with the past few pect of a resumption of trade conditions in the South." Said Mr. George W. Stevens, president of the Chesaher and provide at the bedside of her brother and a traveled. Mr. Stevens returned on Sunday from a trip through the South and South.

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Miss Poague was the daughter of Capitain W. T. Poague, one of the best known men in his section of the State She was herself very popular as a young society girl, often coming to this city.

#### DOPE VENDORS HELD

## AT BOTTOM, BUT

Council Adopts Ordinance Re- Twice Married Within Past Few After Trip Through South, President Stevens Thus Describes Commercial Situation.

#### CHEAP WATER RATES CUT ELOPED FROM LEXINGTON RESUMPTION WILL BE SLOW

Felt in Many Sections-Conditions in Mexico.

before July at the least, and perhaps conditions will not be entirely normal before late in the fall."

#### PAWNBROKERS GET OFF

d to a penalty of \$15. The usual fine of the procks were all second-hand, the law prescribes that only packs on the seal has not been broken may be by pawnbrokers.

I discovery of the illegal sale was made government agent. Mr. Sam Stern, a Washirsten, and Washirsten, and

#### GIRL DIES SUDDENLY Matron of Woman's College, Attending Miss Wood, Left Room for Moment and Returning Found Her

APPARENTLY IMPROVING.

That's what ours is-conceded so by every one who has ever worn or seen it. Spring styles are ready for men and

Hats and Furnishings are ready for delivery, too-keep-

Gans-Rady Company

ing pace with the standard set in our clothing department.

**Quality Clothing** 

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Dead---Member of Graduating Class.

#### Charge With Assaulting Daughter.

#### CALLED TO FAR WEST

#### DR. KENT TO SPEAK

Will Deliver Educational Address at Jeffer-son Auditorium To-Night. son Auditorium To-Night.

Dr. Charles W. Kent, professor of English at the University of Virginia, will speak in Richmond to-night on "ideals and Idealism of Education." The address will be under the auspices of the Richmond Education Association, and will be in the Jefferson auditorium. The public is invited.

Woodmen Celebrate Anniversary.
Woodmen of the World, Hickory Carne,
No. 6, will celebrate the fourteenth anniversary in their hall to-night, An excellent
program has been arranged for the occasion
with an abundance of refreshments. All
Woodmen are invited.

Hampden-Sidney Banquet.
Richmond Chapter, Hampden-Sidney
Jege Alumni Association, will hold its
ond annual meeting and banquet at
Jartarson suditorium on April 23d.

## Latter Wanted to Shoot Man Richmond Delegates Leave for

Charleston to Attend Cincinnati Society Meeting.

of the Virginia Society; Capt. W. Gor-

Hon, Heth Lorton, of New York, sec-retary of the general organization, and a former Richmonder, will join the Virginia delegation.

The Society of the Cincinnati was formed by the officers of the Continen-tal Army, the first meeting being held at army headquarters on the banks of

Membership Records.
Reports of the Virginia chapter show
the membership of the whole organiza-

tion of a presiding officer the honor this year will fall to a Virginian for the first time since the presidency was held by General George Washington.

Mr. Royall on Finance.

Mr. William L. Royall, a well known lawyer and a writer of recognized ability on questions relating to finance and political necoromy, will deliver an address before the accoromy, will deliver an address before the Richmond chapter of the American Institute Richmond Capital Spitzer Recevers.

The first mecting of the Hebrew Literary At Occlock, afternoon in the club rooms at 1 occloser, afternoon in the club rooms at 1 occloser, afternoon in the club rooms at 1 occloser, afternoon in the cl

MRS. WIHSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP

# No Park for West Ead. Because of the high award, the Council, on motion of Mr. Pollard, adopted a joint resolution to dismiss the condemnation proceedings instituted by the address of the house was given as No. 8 Baker Street, the confusion the City Attorney for a park in the west End near Monument Avenue, the mass. The Baker street residence is price being \$61,855,16. Mr. Garber got FORMER SHERIFF SLATED FOR FAT JOB No. Park for West Ead. Bury. In the article published yesterday in the address of the house was given as No. 8 Baker Street, the confusion to dismiss the confusion to the City Attorney for a park in the mass. The Baker street residence is price being \$61,855,16. Mr. Garber got FORMER SHERIFF SLATED FOR FAT JOB The Rev. F. Hopkins, a well known young Baptist minister, whose home is in May young All the American Tobacco Company's place yesters at Virginia, has ire in evangelist work in various day morning, was operated on at the Memorial Hospital later, and is expected soon to be out. The injury was not serious. FORMER SHERIFF SLATED FOR FAT JOB Totals

#### Generally Believed Solomon Will Be Secretary of New Charities Board.

Considerable comment has been roused by the fact that Governor wanson, in appointing the State Board f Charities and Corrections, neither amed Hon. Hill Montague, of this city, who was the patron of the bill creating he new department, nor consulted with him concerning the matter. Mr. Montague was one of the representatives rom Richmond in the lower branch of the General Assembly, took active part n the deliberations of the body, and was opposed to the confirmation of Judge W. F. Rhea, of Bristol, as a nember of the State Corporation Com-

Some time ago there was generally circulated in several quarters a report to the effect that Governor Swanson had plainly indicated to certain persons then consulting him about an apolntment, that hereafter the question f Rhea and anti-Rhea would turn the

nical qualifications not possessed by follows:



the legislator, as in the case of a health department, made up entirely of practicing physicians.

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of Rhea and anti-Rhea would turn the dide of Executive consideration. This story the Governor branded as false and denounced as malicious, declaring that he made no such statement, and had no such intention with reference to Mr. Montague or anybody clse. As to the Montague appointment or failure to appoint, the Governor declines to discuss the matter in any way for publication.

Heretofore it has been generally regarded as customary for the patron of a bill or resolution creating a board.

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The members of the board appointent of membership, and frequently to the chairmanship, unless the auties of the position require technical qualifications not possessed by follows:

Mr. Montague, however, has devoted much of his time to humane work, and he made a hard fight to get his business age in the following language:

"Both humanity and good administration demand that the jails, prisons and State reformatories should be fare the board appoint to get his bill through the two flowes, It is bill the demand that the jails prisons and State reformatories should be the reformatories should be fare the bill, of the made a hard fight to get his bill through the two flowes, It is done demand that the jails are reformatories should be reformed

Governor Declines to Discuss Failure to Appoint Montague as Member.

Dr. Paulus A. Irving, Richmond city, Hon. L. P. Stearnes, Newport News, Judge R. Carter Scott, Richmond City, Rev. S. C. Hatcher, Farmville, and Judge W. W. Moffitt, Salem.

The selection of Mr. Solomon has been criticized on the ground that having spent many years in the prosecution and detention of prisoners as sheriff he is necessarily more or less hardened to the deficiences of criminals, and is not endowed with that insignit and sympathy contemplated in the work of the department. On the other hand, it is pointed out that the actual inspection of the prisons will be made by the board itself, and that the long experience of the former sheriff and his familiarity with prison conditions will be of inestimable value in guiding the board.

The multivesty of Virginia, will speak in deadress will be under the Richmond Education. The address will be under the Agreement Education Association, and will be in the Jefferson audiction. The address will be under the Agreement Agreement Education Association, and will be in the Jefferson and Judge W. W. Moffitt, Salem.

Dr. Smith Visits Seminary.

The Rev. Dr. W. R. L. Smith, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, left the city the Second Baptist Church, left the city of the Second Baptist Church, left the city of the Second Baptist Theological Seminary there are specially institution at Hot Springs, Ark., where the convention will meet in May.

Mr. Southward Named.

Postmaster R. E. Cabell yesterday named the work of the Richmond Country and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of John and the first four chapters of the Gospel of